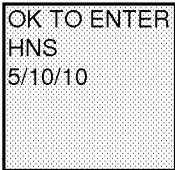


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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed January 22, 2010, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.116, Applicants provide the following amendments and remarks for entry in the present case.

Amendments to the Claims being on page 2 of this paper.

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